4th December 1947]

APPENDIX IX.

[Vide item VI (3) on page 33 supra.]

A Bill temporarily to amend the Madras Prohibition Act, 1937.

(As passed by the Assembly.)

Madras Act X of 1937.

WHEREAS it is expedient temporarily to amend the Madras Prohibition Act, 1937, for the purpose hereinafter appearing; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title, commencement and duration.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Madras Prohibition (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1947.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of October 1947, and shall cease to be in force on such date as the Provincial Government may, by notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, appoint in that behalf.

Madras Prohibition Act, 1937, not to apply to storage, export, etc. of intoxicating drugs from Government Storehouse at Vetapalem in Guntur district.

Madras Act X of 1937.

2. Notwithstanding that the provisions of the Madras Prohibition Act, 1937, other than sections 1, 3 and 6 came into force in the Guntur district on the 1st day of October 1947, intoxicating drugs manufactured before that day may continue to be stored in the Government Storehouse at Vetapalem in that district, and continue to be exported, transported or sold from the said Store house, as if the said provisions had not come into force in the Guntur district; and such storage, export, transport and sale shall continue to be governed by the enactments mentioned in the Schedule to the Act aforesaid, with such subsequent statutory modifications as may have been or may be made in those enactments, and by the rules orders and notifications made or issued under those enactments and for the time being in force.